



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 1638**

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated April 13, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. A Petition for Extension of Time and Notice of Appeal are included herewith.